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Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116
Expedited Procedure Requested
Examining Group. 3683
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Application No. : 10/600,834

Group Art Unit: 3683

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For : VACUUM PRESSURE BOOSTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116** in the above-captioned application.

- Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- A Request for Extension of Time.
- No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 2, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

A listing of claims is set forth on pages 2-9.

Remarks begin on page 10.

If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0089.